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Applicant(s) : Ichiko MAYUZUMI
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Title : *Video Conference And Video Telephone System, Transmission Apparatus, Reception Apparatus, Image Communication System, Communication Apparatus, Communication Method, Recording Medium, And Program*

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Sir:

Applicant concurrently files herewith a Request for Continued Examination ("RCE"). This Submission Pursuant To 37 CFR §1.114 is responsive to the Final Office Action issued on January 31, 2006.

Reconsideration and continued examination is respectfully requested in view of the following.

Please amend this application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 11 of this paper.